

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: James A. Thompson
Yukitoshi TAKEUCHI, et al.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2625
Application No.: 09/899,022)	
	:	Confirmation No: 3535
Filed: July 6, 2001)	
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For: IMAGE READING APPARATUS)	
AND ORIGINAL COVER THEREOF	:	April 11, 2008

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

Introductory Comments

In response to the outstanding Official Action mailed January 11, 2008,

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks: